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## RESPONSE TO ELECTION OF SPECIES REQUIREMENT

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated October 23, 2008, Applicants hereby elect Species D, for prosecution in the subject application. Claims 1, 4-6, 15, 19, 35 and 36 read on the elected species. The office action states that claim 1 is generic.

Applicants, of course, reserve the right to file a divisional application covering the non-elected subject matter and/or to receive consideration of claims to additional species as provided by 37 CFR 1.141, upon allowance of any claim that is generic.

Receipt of the initial Office Action on the merits is awaited.'

Respectfully submitted,

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